DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
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12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·53	7·19	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	13·71	13·40	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available.			

Agricultural operations.—Preparation of thrashing floors and harvesting of paddy.

Probable outturn of harvests.—Ragi, yield 8 annas.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks for the cultivation of Vaisakhi paddy.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar cane, togari, kulthi, avare and castor are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Anekal Taluk and potatoes in parts of the Devanhalli Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Karthika paddy in parts of the Hoskote, Nelamangala, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks; horse gram in parts of the Hoskote, Kankanhalli, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks; haraka, samè and castor in parts of the Magadi Taluk; avare in parts of the Dodballapur and Anekal Taluks and sugar cane in parts of the Anekal Taluk.

Probable outturn of harvests.—Paddy in the Nelamangala Taluk, yield from 8 to 16 annas; and in the Anekal Taluk, yield 8 annas; horse gram in parts of the Anekal Taluk, yield 8 annas; and avare in parts of the Bangalore Taluk, yield from 2 to 4 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague, prevailing throughout the district, except the Closepet Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water, green pasture and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing for Vaisakhi paddy and harvesting of Karthika paddy, ragi and sugar cane are going on.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar cane and mulberry are reported to be in fairly good condition.

Crops sown.—Paddy in the Sidlaghatta and Bagepalli Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Paddy in almost all the taluks, yield from 4 to 12 annas; ragi in Bowringpet and Mulbagal, yield 4 annas; in Chintamani, yield from 6 to 12 annas; and in the Srinivaspur Taluk, yield from 4 to 6 annas; sugar cane in the Chikballapur and Bagepalli Taluks, yield from 8 to 12 annas; in Goribidnur, yield from 6 to 10 annas; and in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield from 6 to 12 annas; horse gram in Malur, yield 8 annas; and ground nuts in the Chintamani Taluk, yield from 6 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" in parts of the Kolar Taluk, cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Their condition is fair in the Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk and good in Tiptur and the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk. It is reported that the crops are not in fair condition in the Sira Taluk, while in the Itikadibbanahalli hobli of the Maddagiri Taluk, ragi and horse gram have been allowed to be grazed by cattle.

Crops sown.—Paddy in the Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and the Koratagere Sub-Taluk; cholum in the Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks; sosi ragi in the Sira Taluk and coriander in the Gubbi Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in the Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi, Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks and the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; avare in the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Kunigal Taluks, and the Koratagere Sub-Taluk; togari in the Maddagiri, Sira and Gubbi Taluks; horse gram in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks and the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; castor in the Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi Taluks and the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; cholum in the Chiknayakanhalli and Pavagada Taluks; ground-nuts in the Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks and the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; paddy in the Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks and the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks, and sugar cane in the Gubbi Taluk and the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague prevailing in parts of the Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi and Tiptur Taluks and parts of the Turuvekere and Koratagere Sub-Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available throughout the district, except in parts of the Maddagiri Taluk, where scarcity of water is slightly felt.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk for kar crops.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in almost all parts of the taluks; togari in parts of the Mysore, Hunsur and T.-Narsipur Taluks; ragi in parts of the Seringapatam, Gundlupet and Nagamangala Taluks; haraka in parts of the Seringapatam and Nagamangala Taluks; horse gram in parts of the Heggaddevankote, Nanjangud, Malvalli and Mandya Taluks; and green gram and coriander in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk.

Estimated outturn of crops.—Paddy in parts of the Mysore and Nanjangud Taluks, yield from 8 to 16 annas and 12 annas, respectively; togari in parts of the Mysore Taluk, yield from 4 to 10 annas; and horse gram in parts of the Nanjangud Taluk, yield 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of almost all the taluks, and cholera in parts of the Chamrajnagar and Malvalli Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops,* sugar cane, avare and castor in the Hassan Taluk; avare, menthya, kadale and kulthi in the Arkalgud Taluk; sugar cane in the Belur Taluk; avare, togari and castor in the Channarayapatna Taluk; avare, kulthi, togari, hutchellu and kadale in the Arsikere Taluk; kadale in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; and sugar cane and kulthi in the Alur Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Kar paddy in parts of the Hassan Taluk is being sown and nurseries of kode paddy are being formed in the Manjarabad Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Kulthi and kadale in the Hassan Taluk; barawadi paddy and transplanted paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar cane, ragi, paddy, kulthi, hutchellu and coriander in the Channarayapatna Taluk; sugar cane, paddy, coriander and castor in the Arsikere Taluk; paddy togari, avare, and kulthi in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk, and paddy in the Alur Sub-Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Except for the prevalence of plague in parts of Arsikere, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and of small-pox in Arkalgud town, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed for transplanting paddy in portions of the Bharangi hobli of the Sagar Taluk.

Standing crops are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and Nagar Taluks and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk; togari, avare and horse gram in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks; sugar cane in parts of the Shimoga Taluk; areca in the malnad taluks and cotton in the Honnali Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Chikmagalur Taluk.

Standing crops such as paddy, ragi, avare, togari, sugar cane, hutchellu, fenugreek, coriander, Bengal gram, horse gram, cotton, coffee, onions, garlic, wheat, and castor, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested and their yield.—

In Chikmagalur—Paddy, coffee, sugar cane, castor and coriander, yield from 8 to 12 annas.

In Kadur—Paddy, yield 10 annas; and ragi, sugar cane, coriander and chillies, yield from 8 to 12 annas.

In Tarikere—Coriander, yield from 10 to 12 annas.

In Koppa—Paddy, areca and coffee.

In Mudgere—Areca, yield from 10 to 12 annas; paddy, yield 15 annas; coffee, yield 16 annas and ragi, yield 8 annas.

In Yedahalli—Paddy and areca, yield 12 annas.

In Sringeri—Paddy, yield 12 annas; and areca, yield from 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in certain villages of the Kadur and Tarikere Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops,* such as paddy, chillies, castor, horse gram, cotton, sugar cane, jola, Bengal gram, wheat, avare, togari and tadagani, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Paddy and sugar cane in the Davangere Taluk.

Crops harvested and their yield.—Cotton in the Chitaldrug and Davangere Taluks, yield 8 annas; castor in the Chitaldrug and Challakere Taluks, yield from 6 to 8 annas; horse gram in the Chitaldrug, Challakere and Davangere Taluks, yield from 6 to 8 annas; paddy and togari in the Challakere and Hiriyur Taluks, yield 8 annas; chillies in the Challakere Taluk, yield from 6 to 8 annas; navane and sajjé in the Hiriyur Taluk, yield 8 annas; and avare in the Davangere Taluk, yield from 6 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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